



Township Register

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NEWS OF MEN



IN SERVICE

HEARS SON'S VOICE
CENTERVILLE — Mrs. Jenny Hart, whose son was one of the first from Washington Township to enlist in the armed forces was delighted by a surprise visit recently from her son. Prior to his arrival she was thrilled to receive a phonograph record made by him through U.S.O. services. He is stationed with the Navy in the Gulf of Mexico.

FAREWELL BAR-B-Q
MISSION — Monday evening at Linda Vista Park William Fernandez, owner of the Fig Tree Service Station held a Bar-B-Q in honor of Leslie Callahan and David Escobar who are leaving at once for induction into Uncle Sam's armed forces. A large number of their friends were present to wish them luck in their new undertaking and to help devour the delicious steaks.

Lloyd Amaral, who is somewhere overseas has advised his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Amaral, that he has finally received his mail. Inasmuch as there were seventy letters in the batch, we think he will be kept busy in his spare moments for some time to come. Our best wishes go to Lloyd.

Cecil Griffith, son of Mrs. Al Cory of Niles has enlisted in the U.S. Navy and left last week for the naval training station at San Diego.

James Richard Silva, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Silva of Niles also left town last week for the same place. He was given a going-away party by his parents which was attended by his sister, Mrs. Richard N. Blakely and her husband of Piedmont, who were recently married.

Robert Inman Thompson, nephew of Mrs. Gladys Williamson and at one time a visitor in Niles, has entered West Point Military Academy after completing preparatory courses in Washington, D.C. His father is Col. C. B. Thompson, a West Point graduate, and now stationed on the East Coast with the Anti-Aircraft Department of the Coast Artillery.

Harold Kleinsasser of Niles former printer-operator at the Township Register was inducted into the service Thursday morning, making four former employees The Township Register has "contributed" to Uncle Sam. Brother Walt will carry on at the linotype until time and Uncle Sam catch up with him! After that . . . ?

Staff-Sergeant Leroy Raymond of Camp Roberts, is home on a ten day furlough. Part of the time will be spent visiting friends in Sacramento and renewing local friendships.

Raymond Perry of Decoto will be inducted into the U.S. Army on July 30th.

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NILES FIRST SCRAP METAL DRIVE YIELDS 11,130 POUNDS

SECOND DRIVE TO BE HELD SUNDAY, AUGUST 16; PLEASE CONTRIBUTE

A lot of people had a lot of fun Sunday on Niles first official "Get in The Scrap Metal" drive, conducted under the auspices of the Niles Chamber of Commerce.

At 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon three large and one small trucks returned to town from the Pacific States Steel's receiving department with a hungry crew of helpers. Reposing in the pocket of Chairman Dr. T. C. Wilson's pocket were the mills weight receipts for 11,130 pounds of junk metal picked up within the limits of the Niles School District.

It was the opinion of those doing the collecting on Sunday that the surface had only been scratched. A second drive is scheduled for Sunday, August 16, and it is hoped more farmers will go through their machinery "grave-yards" and contribute what they can of their unwanted and worn-out farm machinery, automobiles, and parts.

Farmers and others are asked to leave their names and addresses at their early convenience with the P. C. Hansen Lumber company, phone Niles 4442, or with Dr. Wilson, phone Niles 4553, if they will have any metal to be picked up on August 16.

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SCHOOL BUDGETS

The annual School Budgets for operating the Niles, Decoto and Mission San Jose Elementary Schools for the coming year appear on page 5 of this issue and should be studied by taxpayers of the districts concerned. If any registered voter has a complaint or suggestion to make, public hearing will be held for this purpose at 8 o'clock next Monday evening at the Niles and Mission Grammar Schools and at 8 o'clock next Wednesday evening at the Decoto School. "Speak then, or forever hold your peace!"

MONEY COMES IN FOR EQUIPPING DISASTER CENTER

NILES SALVAGE COMMITTEE HAS NUCLEUS ... OF \$106.07 CASH

Two Niles citizens caught the spirit of doing something for Uncle Sam, while watching the four trucks and their crews of volunteer helpers going through Niles and the Niles rural district Sunday, in search of scrap metal to shoot at the Japs.

The two men, A. L. Bailey and Angelo Pratali started a subscription list with \$5 each, with the proceeds of which to help in equipping a Niles Disaster Center probably at the Grammar school, with any equipment which otherwise cannot be procured through federal or county channels.

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A Story of War—And War Bonds



Will you give at least 10% of your pay in War Bonds?

This new color poster, which soon will be used in all parts of the country to promote the sale of War Bonds and Stamps, is one of four recently created to emphasize new themes in the War Bond sales campaign.

U. S. Treasury Dept.
WSS 401

REV. D. Q. GRABILL PREACHES SUNDAY; RECEPTION PLANNED

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MINUTE MAN FLAG

The Pacific Gas & Electric company's office at Niles, of which A. J. Petsche is manager, which was one of the first of this company's many offices to sign up 100 percent for regular War Bond purchases. Last week was awarded a beautiful blue and white silk Minute Man Flag as evidence of their patriotic co-operation in the war effort. The staff is proudly displaying the coveted flag in the street window of their office at Niles.

LAST GAME IN SOFTBALL SKED FRIDAY EVENING

With the final week of softball play in progress, softball fans need not think that the Washington Township Softball league has been completed, because the most exciting and "red hot" games are yet to be contested in the playoffs. The first four clubs that finish in the league standings tonight (Friday) will be entitled to participate in the playoffs. It has been arranged by the managers of the clubs that the first and third club will play a short series of games and the second and fourth club will play a short series of games, and the winners of these will clash in a series for the championship of the league for 1942.

During the past week of play Native Sons went into a tie for first place with Westvaco and the Knights of Columbus slid down into the cellar.

Real Tight Game

Softball fans saw a real tight and exciting ball game on Wednesday evening with Woodmen of the World and Occidental playing a tie game that lasted for eleven innings. This game was called at the end of the eleventh, the score being 5 to 5, due to time limit. Arrangements will be made to play off this tie game sometime next week, as both of these clubs are in the first division and very close together in the league standings unless after the close of the season gaining one or more members over the year before. This is a record no other Post in California has achieved.

Adjutant Veit announced the Post had passed its quota of 99 members; now had 102 members; the four names above made 106, and the Post still had to get six new members to make a 1942 membership of 112 veterans if it is to retain its 19 year record of each year gaining one or more members over the year before. This is a record no other Post in California has achieved.

Comrade Vieux requested the Post to sponsor a Washington Township young man to take the C.A.A. flying course, now being gathered by the American Legion in California.

Comrade Hallstrom served as Commander after Commander Sam Scott

MISSION SAN JOSE

Miss Ruth Justus
Correspondent

Ruth and Bert Justus went by bus to Sacramento on Friday to visit their father, Harley Justus and their sister Elaine, both of whom are employed at McClellan Field Air Depot. Mrs. Justus left Saturday evening for Sacramento and the family returned on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Seville of Burlingame and Mr. and Mrs. Rose of Oakland spent Sunday at the home of Miss Abbie Sunderer.

Miss Lorraine Rogers and a friend from San Jose spent Tuesday at the home of Lorraine's mother, Mrs. Rose Rogers. They are both Nurses aids at the San Jose Hospital.

Jackie Borge, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Borge, sustained a sprained arm one day last week and carried it in a sling for a week. He is now without the sling but does not use his arm yet.

Mr. and Mrs. John Souza accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. George Valley of Centerville motored to Monterey on Sunday to spend the day.

Mrs. Duke Baxter and Mrs. Howard are house guests at the home of the Misses Gallegos here for a while.

Mr. Edwin M. Fisk returned from Los Angeles last week bringing his young grandson, Hal Hempstead Jr., to spend the summer vacation with his grandparents.

Father Peter C. Curran is taking Reverend Father Hugh Ryans place at the Dominican Convent during his absence.

Mrs. Rose Recend and son John Pat are entertaining Miss Freida Howard of Sacramento, niece of Mrs. Recend, this week.

Little Donnie Daniels has been having a bit of trouble with a bad ear and he finally had to have it lanced on Wednesday.

Little Elaine Borge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Borge of Bryant street underwent a tonsillectomy at the hospital on Monday. She is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Samuel Metzger and children, Barbara and Donnie of San Mateo and the Mission are now living at their home in San Mateo.

Miss Claire Cooney and Miss Mary Theresa Meagher of San Francisco returned to their homes there after spending a week here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Steinmetz, aunt and uncle of the Meagher girl.

Mrs. Grace Meyers, Mrs. Josepha Fernandez, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Sylvia all attended the dance at the Newark Pavilion on Saturday evening.

The men of the Legion from the Niles headquarters held a grand Bar-B-Q at the Mission Hereford ranch with Dale Carithers acting as host on Sunday. There was a

good crowd present to enjoy the day.

(Held over from last week)
Mrs. Hannah Rose has gone for a weeks vacation to the home of her sister in Santa Rosa.

Joseph Jardin of Hayward spent the weekend here at the home of his sister, Mrs. William Fernandez and family and also visited former school mates.

The Eagles of San Francisco and Oakland held their annual picnic at Linda Vista Park on Sunday with the largest turnout at the park this year. One of the main attraction were some of the girls from the former Billy Roses Aquacade at the fair on Treasure Island. They put on a fine exhibi-

tion of swimming and a young man gave some fine imitations in swimming and fancy diving. There were the usual run of races, dancing and what not to make the program a success.

Miss Mary Theresa Meagher and Miss Claire Cooney of San Francisco are spending a vacation at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Mary Steinmetz here.

Mrs. Francis Enos returned to her home in Selma the end of the week after spending a short vacation spent at the home of her son Thomas Semas and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Witesides of San Francisco spent the weekend at the home of Mrs. Whitesides sister, Miss Abbie Sunderer here.

Mrs. Samuel Metzger and family returned from Santa Monica last week and are making arrangements to move to San Mateo, their former city home. They will spend the weekends here at the ranch.

William Turner and Jackie Turner, his nephew of Niles spent a week vacationing in Yosemite valley and Merced. They returned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Silva of Oakland Mrs. Hinkle and two daughters of Livermore and Miss Bergman and Mrs. Jason of Centerville were last weeks visitors at the home of Miss Abbie Sunderer and Mrs. Ernest Frei.

Mrs. Fogg, former resident of

the Mission visited Miss Abbie Sunderer one day last week. Her daughter Marion is teaching school at Gilroy where they make their home now.

Mrs. James Ellis Tucker of San Francisco is a house guest at the home of Miss Eda Beronio for a couple of weeks.

Edwin M. Fisk has returned from a weeks business trip to Los Angeles and brought his grandson with him for a short vacation.

Miss Shirley Ann Cunha has been confined to her bed for over a week with a stomach ailment. At present she is up and around.

Eureka, California is the most westerly city in the United States.

GEMS OF THOUGHT
JUSTICE

In the observance of the laws of God and in the promise of the showed a fine moving picture on best guaranty of peace upon the earth and the only hope of eternal life. — Benjamin Harrison.

I know that the Lord is always on the side of the right, but it is my constant anxiety and prayer that I and this nation should be on the Lord's side. — Abraham Lincoln.

The government of divine Love derives its omnipotence from the love it creates in the heart of man; for love is almighty, and there is no loyalty apart from love.—Mary Baker Eddy.

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SAFEWAY

DAMAGED DOCUMENT

TESTIMONIAL DINNER
PLANNED FOR
A. J. RATHBONE

CENTERVILLE — Friends and admirers of A. J. Rathbone, until recently principal of Washington Union High School, plan to give him a testimonial dinner at the Country clubhouse. The evening was tentatively set for Thursday, August 6, but Mr. Rathbone left this week for Sonoma, to assist in making up the school's budget for the coming year. The date will be definitely set when he returns.

Participating in the dinner will be the Mens Club of St. James Church, the Men's Fellowship of the Niles Congregational Church, the Men's Club of Washington Township and other groups in which the departing principal had been an active outstanding member. F. T. Dusterberry is heading up this activity.

DECOTO NEWS
Mrs. Edmund Francis
Correspondent

(Held over from last week) Because of the prevailing labor shortage, L. W. Musick, principal of the Decoto Grammar school may be seen in his shirt sleeves this week, assisting in warehousing grain at the Henry Salz feed warehouse in Decoto.

Miss Lena Dutra is enjoying her vacation in Reno.

Willy and Elsie Souza of Gustine and Miss Betty Granlund of Los Banos, visited at the home of Mrs. Mary Sequeira on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Silva, Jr. are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a baby boy. Mrs. Silva is the former Olive Perry of Decoto.

Mrs. Connie Amaral and son David have returned home following a vacation spent at Santa Cruz.

Mrs. Mary Pimentel has returned home from the Fairmont Hospital, where she has been confined for the past six months, suffering from a badly infected foot. Amputation of a toe was necessary. Mrs. Pimentel is a pioneer resident of Decoto and her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lewis of Alvarado, former residents of Decoto, are the proud parents of a baby girl.

Frank Milina has been spending his vacation at the home of his uncle in San Leandro.

THREE YEARS OLD

Little Diane Waynflete celebrated her third birthday Wednesday afternoon at her parents' home in Niles with the help of Bill and Edgar Dawson, Mrs. Buell and her daughters, Mary Jo and Barbara Lee, Mrs. Albert Vasconcellos and children, Donnie and Patsy, and little Loretta Jean Kelton. The children enjoyed games and refreshments of a lovely birthday cake and ice cream.

MRS. ELLEN MOHN
IS PRESIDENT OF
LEGION AUXILIARY

At a recent meeting of the Washington Township American Legion Auxiliary the following officers were elected: President, Ellen Mohn; First-Vice president, Margaret Jones; Second-vice president, Estelle Benbow; Secretary-treasurer, Theresa Swartz; Chaplain, Angie Furtado; Sergeant-at-arms, Marie Duarte; and Marshall, Marion Zwissig. The members of the Executive Committee are Rose Vieux of Niles; Geneva Smith of Decoto; and Lena Bertolotti of Newark. The following delegates were elected to attend the State Convention in August at Los Angeles: Marion Zwissig, Rose Vieux, and Lena Bertolotti, while the alternates chosen were Ellen Mohn, Margaret Jones and Geneva Smith. The next meeting of the Auxiliary will be held in September.

When the Women's Auxiliary of Washington Township Post of the American Legion resumes its fall meetings they will be held once a month on Tuesday evenings, instead of twice a month as heretofore, in order to save the tires of its members who live throughout the Township.

IRVINGTON
Miss Dorothy Adams
Correspondent

Mrs. Harriet G. Farr and a cousin from Stockton visited Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Thornburg on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Griffen and family, with the Misses Alice Thomas and Rachel Williams have returned from a three weeks vacation spent camping at Big Basin. They report the weather has been fine and the country in the mountains is beautiful. Not so many people camping as usual, about one family in each camp.

"Bud" Joseph Amaral who is now in the employ of the Southern Pacific Railroad in Santa Barbara spent the weekend visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Amaral.

Beverly Soito spent two days this week in Los Gatos visiting her aunt, Mrs. G. Underwood.

Miss Eleanor George now has a position with Roethlin's Restaurant.

Mrs. Helen Doane, proprietor of our local beauty salon is enjoying a week's vacation.

Miss Elizabeth Lowrie, local librarian, advises the community that the library will be closed for the next two weeks to open August 10, during which period she will take a much needed vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Prouty visited the Randolph Griffen camp at Big Basin over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis H. Adams and daughter Dorothy attended the conference of the Northern District of the Re-organized Church of Latter Day Saints held in Berkeley Saturday and Sunday. This conference supplanted the reunion held annually here for ten days. About seven hundred representatives registered from the district with many of the young men in the uniforms of our country. Hopes are held out for the reunion next year.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Cline and family of Niles have moved into the agents apartment at the Western Pacific Dpt. Mr. Cline is an operator at Niles. Sunday he was taken to St. Joseph's hospital in San Francisco for treatment. His condition is reported to be about the same.

Mrs. Elsie Soito is confined to her home due to the after effects of some dental work.

Fifty-five Air aid Wardens united with the Fire Commissioners and Firemen of this local and held a barbecue Tuesday evening at Withers Park in Mission San Jose. Special guests included Sheriff Gleason and Pete Starasinc.

Mrs. John Stenhouse is under the physician's care at her home on Main street.

Mrs. B. M. Olace spent two days this week with her daughter, Mrs. C. Jones in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Stepp Raymond spent Tuesday visiting friends in Alameda.

San Francisco's Municipal Railway carried 71,577,219 passengers during the first 10 months of the current fiscal year, compared with 69,651,196 during the same period of 1941.

A San Francisco flower store gives an orchid of the customer's choice for every \$100 War Bond bought at the shop.

California shipped 3183 long tons of manganese ore valued at \$75,057 in 1941, compared with 1940's 280 tons worth \$3260.

INDIGENT AID IN
ALAMEDA COUNTY
DROPS 32 PERCENT

County indigent relief in Alameda county went down 32 percent from July, 1941 to May, 1942, dropping from 3,168 cases in July to 2,164 in May, California Taxpayers' association stated today, following its study of the effect of increasing employment on the need for relief of indigent persons in California counties. County indigent relief does not include aid extended to needy aged persons, needy blind, or dependent children, the association pointed out.

Over the state as a whole, the need for county indigent relief dropped 40 per cent, going from a high of 45,393 in July to a low of 27,262 in May. Counties in which the indigent load has been reduced by more than 30 percent include Alameda and Contra Costa.

Further wholesome decreases in relief needs are to be expected during the 1942-43 fiscal year, the Taxpayers' association declared, pointing out that unemployment throughout the country in March, 1942, was down to about half what it was in March, 1941.

NEWARK

Eugene Paschote
Correspondent

The scenes of wartime in Newark during the past week include the moving of soldiers and military equipment by train through the community and the continuation of guard patrol by the United States Army at various industrial plants and in the business district.

Mr. and Mrs. George May Jr., moved to Oakland on Monday after residing on Thornton Avenue in Newark for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fraga spent Sunday at Santa Cruz.

Eugene Paschote and William Gould of Newark and Ernest Walker of San Jose spent Sunday at Alum Rock Park.

Mrs. Emma Collins, mother of James Collins of Newark, is on an extensive visit in Los Angeles with Mrs. Dora Greb, formerly of Newark. Mrs. Greb was the founder of the Newark Bluebird Club many years ago.

The American Legion Auxiliary

will hold their annual "Chums" dinner on Tuesday evening August 18 at the Florence Restaurant in Niles.

Louis Smith of Newark is recovering from an operation performed at the San Jose hospital.

Plans are being made again by the management of the Newark Pavilion to bring Duke Martin and his Round Up Gang of San Francisco back to the community. Duke has performed here several times and the people seem to like his entertainment very well as a larger crowd is present each time he comes down here.

Ray Truscott, Washington Township First Aid Chairman, of Newark was called to Mt. Pleasanton in Utah by the death of his mother Mrs. Mary Ellen Truscott.

Jack MacGregor, principal of the Newark School, returned home last week after spending a month at Dimond O in charge of the Junior Officers Training program. This course trains older boys to serve at camps.

(Held over from last week)

The Newark Sportsmen base-

HARLAN HOME
IS SCENE OF
FAMILY REUNION

IRVINGTON — Mrs. Emma Harlan enjoyed visits last Sunday from 14 relatives, many of whom had not seen each other since they were children. The visitors included her daughter, Mrs. Frank Orlando from Tranquility; her son, George Orlando, his wife Dorothy and their daughter, Arlene; Mrs. James Evans came down from Oakland with her three children, Betty, Bobbie and Jimmy. Mrs. Frank Orlando had not seen Mrs. Evans since they were children. They are cousins by marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Osburn and Doris Simpson came over from San Francisco. Mrs. Osburn is Mrs. Harlan's niece and Doris is her Grand-niece. Mrs. Frank Orlando had not seen Mrs. Osburn since she was a small child.

ball team was defeated Sunday at the Newark School grounds when Robin's Cafe of San Jose handed the locals a 10 to 1 licking.

The Uniform Rank of the Knights of Pythias held a meeting last

MISS MARTINELLI
IS ENGAGED TO
LOUIS CHERICONI

Announcement of the engagement of Miss Florence Virginia Martinelli to Louis Chericoni of Walnut Creek was announced recently.

Miss Martinelli is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martinelli of Niles. She is a graduate of Washington Union High School and attended Munson's Business College in San Francisco. For the past year she has been employed with the Bank of America in Centerville. She is first vice-president of DeGuadalupe Institute of Y.L.I. and was formerly affiliated with the Business and Professional Women's club of Washington Township.

The groom-elect is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pilade Chericoni of Walnut Creek. He is a graduate of the Mt. Diablo High School and is connected with a lumber concern at Walnut Creek. No date has been set for the wedding.

week at the Athen's Club in Oakland, at which the following Newark members were present: Captain Burly James; Major Truscott; and Major General Leonard Whitbeck. The principal speaker of the evening was Sheriff Gleason. Henry Miller from the District Attorney's office was also present. About 200 were present.

The Washington Township mobile units received blackout lights and insignias to display on their windshields last week. The mobile unit first aiders are to receive their identification cards in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Draper of Las Vegas, Nevada spent a week here visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Truscott.

The following people from Newark spent Sunday at Santa Cruz: Mr. and Mrs. James Nevis and son Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kettman, Mr. and Mrs. James McCullough, Frank Silva, Lucile Silva, Hayden Freitas, and Marie Pierce. J. F. Silva attended a barbecue at Alum Rock Park Tuesday.

Miss James Nevis attended a baby shower given in honor of Mrs. Helen Ruskofsky at the home of Mrs. Eleanor Hood in Oakland Wednesday.

The Newark Fire Department extinguished a grass fire near the home of Otto Zorn Thursday afternoon. Quick action of the firemen prevented the fire's spread to nearby buildings.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Silva spent the weekend at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jason of Centerville at Felton Acres in the Santa Cruz mountains.

William Gould and Eugene Paschote attended the Sacramento-San Francisco Pacific Coast League baseball game at the Seals Stadium in San Francisco. San Francisco won the first game 5 to 4 in a ten inning thriller, while Sacramento won the second game 11 to 7.

A large crowd was present Saturday evening at the Newark Sportsmen Invitational dance at the Newark Pavilion.

EASES STEERING ILLS

Having the front wheels realigned and having the spring clips and U-bolts tightened may be the answer to the motorist's dilemma over difficult steering, declares the Service Department of the National Automobile Club. Either of these will contribute to harder steering, although the fact sometimes eludes the car owner.

California's 1941 shipments of chromite totaled 14,756 long tons valued at \$324,218, compared with 1940's shipments of 2321 long tons worth \$32,769.

DOESN'T LOOK
CENSORISH

VESTED with the responsibility of suggesting and enforcing (on the infrequent occasions when too many liberties are taken with war news) the regulations with respect to journalistic practices since America entered the war, the former chief executive of the Associated Press reports a very high degree of voluntary co-operation. But the bureau is ever-watchful of "leaks". Here is the latest photo of Mr. Price, taken as he was enjoying a cigar during the conference of broadcasters in Cleveland.

AGAIN!

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WALTER WAYNFLEETE
Editor and Owner

EDITORIAL

THE INCOME TAX WILL GET YOU . . . !

The income tax will get you—whether you watch out or not.

The federal tax for this year of 1941 is steep enough. It has hit wage earners who had never before come within range of that particular tax scythe. But the 1942 bill approved by the House Ways and Means Committee will cut to the bone.

A handymen making a scant \$600 — \$50 a month — will be caught by the scythe to the extent of \$15!

The butcher boy earning \$1000 a year must turn over \$89 to Uncle Sam!

The clerk earning \$1500 must save \$181 out of it as his share of the extraordinary levies of costly wartime!

Californians have however a chance to protect themselves against squeezing out additional money for the war-rich State treasury in meeting the State income tax. On the November ballot will be an initiative measure to repeal the State income tax.

Most likely California taxpayers will kill the superfluous State income tax November 3. For the war-financing U. S. treasury, in need of every spare dime, is going to get them — and for plenty.

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PERSONS WHO wilfully start a forest fire in war time are liable to trial under the Sabotage Act, which carries a maximum penalty of \$10,000 fine or 30 years in jail, or both.

Be careful with fire!

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WASHINGTON released the news last week that only 1,900 American soldiers, sailors and airmen had been killed during the more than seven months of war since Pearl Harbor. This does not include wounded or prisoner, nor the much larger score of "missing in action," which may mean drowned taken prisoner, or subsisting somehow like our lost troops in the Philippines.

Considering the several million men we now have at the scenes of action, this is a very small total. The Japs lost more than 4,800 killed and drowned in the Marcus action alone. The Russians and Germans lose that many men by death every day.

There were 364,000 American casualties in the first World War, including all those killed, wounded, missing or unaccounted for.

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WRITES Ray Tucker in his column on July 23: "FDR's absorption in politics at this particular moment amazes even his inner circles. His daily dipping into the New York gubernatorial situation is well known. His most frequent and lengthiest conferences of recent days were devoted to this problem . . ."

One would think that fighting this war and endeavoring to rescue our beleaguered (and probably tortured) nationals in the Philippines should be of more concern to Americans — and the President — than who is to be the next governor of New York.

Politics and war make poor bedfellows.

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CONVENIENT and comfortable transportation is offered Niles district residents to and from San Francisco once each evening via the luxurious Western Pacific Express which stops at the station west of the Shinn ranches at 6:02 P.M. and delivers you in San Francisco at 7:50 p.m. Returning next day leave San Francisco at 8 p.m. and get home at Niles at 9:44.

Tire-bound citizens may find this a convenient means of transportation when they have a day's business in the "big city". See the Western Pacific's advertisement elsewhere in this issue.



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FIRST LADY OF USO DOES HER BIT



A soldier and a sailor interrupt their game of checkers in the USO lounge in the Pennsylvania station in New York City to chat with Mrs. Maurice T. Moore, National Vice-Chairman of USO and Chairman of USO's National Women's Committee. This lounge is one of the scores throughout the country which will be maintained and added to through the current USO War Fund Campaign for \$32,000,000. The service men are Sgt. B. G. Hill of Rogers, Tex., and Seaman First Class Elton Bogen, U. S. Coast Guard, of Knoxville, Tenn., two of the troops-in-transit who use the lounges at railroad and bus terminals.

still marking time on the Libyan desert. Whichever side gets reinforcements first will knock out the other, correspondents in the field predict. Let's hope the Allies get there firstest with mostest. Rommel can be licked just as great military strategists before him have been licked.

Meantime an American Air Force is doing its valiant part there and the good news of Rommel's decisive defeat should be forthcoming any day now.

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THIS WAR has put a lot of queer place-names in the news and run through your head: Bengazi, Voronezh, Leae, Salamauna, Murmansk, and now its Gona-Buna.

Some folk-song writer should make a folksy-chanteau out of that queer tropical name:

"Gonna buna-up the Jappies, Gonna buna, gonna buna . . ." and so on with beating of tom-toms shuffling of feet, accompanied by negro repetitions in monotones.

Still no great popular song has emerged from this war, with the exception of the inspiring Air Corps anthem, which somehow puts one in mind of the Mainestain song as sung some years ago by Rudy Vallee.

Second: the nazis are sailing Japanese transports, Berlin announces. And this is an important admission of the thousands of Japanese sailors and seamen who have gone to the bottom with their ships. (Japan is only a little nation at best and they have long since over-reached their resources. Uncle Sam now has a fine opportunity to slap them in the nose, when Washington gives the orders!)

There is a bright idea in the log-raft plan. While slow as can be, it can't be sunk! It does not ride deep enough in the water for torpedoes to hit it.

One area of it can be bombed and destroyed with its cargo: but the rest of it still floats on with its precious cargo. There is no way to sink a log raft. Set it afire or bomb it piecemeal seems to be the only way to destroy it. But there may be ack-ack guns on it. — It's a bright idea, however, and nearly indestructible!

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THE "BUSINESS as usual" of Woodrow Wilson's war days has now become "Production as Usual" of Donald Nelson's this war days!

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MUSCLE-IN got fooled! Anticipating Rommel would make a quick capture of Alexandria Ill Duce (and he is very ill) made a quick dash to the Tobruk area on June 29, in order to ride at the head of the nazi parade into the great British naval base.

He hung around North Africa until July 20, got tired of waiting and then went home. The jackal got fooled.

Rommel and Sir Auchinleck are

pidity? And what has India's political complexion got to do with the United Nations' success at arms? Nothing noticeable. So much for idyllic dreams and impractical dreamers.

When the Japs turn their guns on India is Ghandi going to wave a white flag and suggest a political discussion? The Japs will tweak his nose and keep right on coming.

The very existence of India as a separate peoples is the present burning consideration. Rather safety with England than extinction under the Japs. Ask the Dutch in the East Indies, or the Filipinos, for that matter, now forced to work worthless Japanese "money".

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ANOMOLY: some high-powered publicity men do a swell job in Public Relations, yet they're washouts with their private relations!

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IN A DAILY newspaper appears an advertisement and a cut of an "Emerald cut Diamond set in Platinum. \$875. Above the cut runs a line "Buy War Savings Bonds."

If you had a spare \$875 to invest (does anybody have a spare \$875 these days?) would you salt it away in a single, beautiful diamond, or would you put it into war bonds?

If I had five guesses they would all be the same: War Bonds.

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GERMANS ARE perhaps the worst losers in the world. (Remember the Olympic games in Berlin in 1936 when American Negroes defeated Hitler's best Athletes, and Hitler walked out?)

Their great weakness in wartime is their aversion to playing a game they are not so certain of winning. When they are convinced that they cannot win the war their morale will crack! — Jan Valtin in the latest Reader's Digest.

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THE GENEALOGY OF SLANG. 1900: "Oh, you kid!"

1910: "23, Skidoo." (This was the height of wit in those days!)

1920: "Hot diggity dog."

1930: "Nertz."

1935: "Oaky-doke."

1940: "What's cookin'?"

1941: "Cool with gas."

1942: "All tickety-bo."

GOOD WILL is the most valuable asset any person can have. Whether it is a man in business, politics or civic activities, or a woman in club or social life, good will is the indispensable asset.

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Good will is priceless. Without it, a person is a failure before he or she starts. It takes years to

sold let us hope that the officer formerly responsible for this disgraceful condition is none other than the officer now on trial before a Navy court-martial.

To make the awarding of a commission in our armed forces a matter of money and influence, rather than of education and intelligence, is a flagrant violation of service ethics. More power to the court-martial!

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USED TO BE that the measure of a good politician was his ability to "bring home the bacon without killing the beans."

A rasher statement was never made!

NOW IS THE TIME TO SPEAK FOR TAX REDUCTIONS

Of the \$23,251,242 in property taxes levied in Alameda county for the year which closed on June 30, a total of 34.1 per cent was for general city taxes, 26.1 per cent for county purposes, 34.6 per cent for school districts, and 5.2 per cent for special districts, an analysis of property tax levies in California counties, made public today by California Taxpayers' association shows.

A total of \$7,938,788 was levied for general city purposes in the county, \$5,078,974 was levied for county purposes, \$8,031,247 was levied in school taxes including school bonds, and \$1,202,233 was levied in special district taxes. Special city district tax levies are not included, the association stated, no data being available.

"What local governing boards do with the budgets they are now in process of making will determine the amount of local property taxes levied for 1942-43 — the tax bills property owners will receive in November," the Taxpayers' association declared.

CENTERVILLE

Miss Maxine Mau
Correspondent

Niles Canyon
Niles, California
July 27, 1942

Dear Mr. Waynflete;

I was somewhat taken aback at reading the notice in your last week's issue, of a luncheon given by Mrs. Carter, with my name as one of her guests.

The story was evidently given with the purpose, to cause the impression that I attended the luncheon . . . and am supporting the election of Mr. Carter, both impressions are wrong!

I have taken the trouble of writing to Washington, D. C. for a copy of the Congressional Voting record, and find that Mr. Carter has voted against every vital National Defense measure for the past two years, even the Draft Law in 1940, and the Lend-Lease Law in '41 . . . he voted "NO".

I have no patience with short-sighted statesmen at this critical time, and do not think them fit to guide the destiny of a Nation at war to the Death!

Mr. Waynflete, I am asking you to publish this letter so your readers may know the truth, they will appreciate facts . . . and that I represent the implication, and further, I protest the use of my name without my permission!

Most sincerely yours,

Nell Farrington Myers

Editor's note: the article published in last week's issue was received from the Carter-for-Congress headquarters in Oakland. As editors expect these authentic releases to be accurate, no effort is made to check their content.—WW

cultivate good will, and only one false step, word or statement can wreck it — like turning a blow torch on an orchid.

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THE AROFF TRIAL

We at Niles have definite personal knowledge of something rotten in the Naval Intelligence office in San Francisco, as it was run early this spring.

One of our own boys, of unusual intelligence and business ability (although not a college graduate) applied for a naval commission at that office.

After several months of trying and being stalled off, he finally enlisted in the Navy as an ordinary seaman.

He told the writer with considerable disappointment that he could not get an appointment for a commission because

He didn't have money enough." A commission, he said cost at least \$150 and up to \$500.

Inasmuch as Army and Navy commissions can never be bought

heavy bombers!

Those figures prove the necessity of safety today, more than ever, and show how "Accidents Help The Axis".

VICTORY AND ACCIDENTS

Production of planes, tanks, ships

and guns is the gigantic task of our Nation today, reports the Public Safety Department of the National Automobile Club, which calls attention to the crippling of this vital work by accidents.

Last year, 29,000 workers were killed in off-the-job accidents. There

were 18,000 additional workers killed by accidents on-the-job.

This loss of manpower represents

sufficient labor to build 20 battleships, 200 destroyers and 7,000

aircraft carriers.

Heavy bombers!

Those figures prove the necessity

of safety today, more than ever,

and show how "Accidents Help The Axis".

Summer Beauty . . .

Capture the radiance of Summer in your face and

PUBLIC (LEGAL) NOTICE

PROPOSED BUDGET
(Exclusive of Bond Money)
For the NILES SCHOOL District
for the school year ending
June 30, 1943

I PROPOSED EXPENDITURE APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1942-43
A Current Expense Appropriations
1. Administration \$ 500
2. Instruction 23,890
3. Operation of Plant 3,200
4. Maintenance of School Plant 400
5. Auxiliary Agencies and Coordinate Activities, exclusive of transfers to other districts for tuition 700
6. Fixed Charges 750

Total Current Expense Appropriations 29,440
B Capital Outlay Appropriation 2,500
C Non-Bonded Debt Service Appropriation none
D Undistributed Reserve Appropriation for 1942-43 3,000
E Total Proposed Expenditure Appropriations for the School Year 1942-43 34,940
II APPROPRIATION FOR TRANSFER TO OTHER DISTRICTS FOR TUITION, 1942-43 none
III CURRENT DISTRICT TAXES REQUIRED FOR SPECIAL ACCUMULATIVE BUILDING FUND none
IV GENERAL RESERVE APPROPRIATION FOR EXPENDITURE DURING 1943-44 500
V TOTAL BUDGET REQUIREMENT 35,440
VI NET TOTAL AVAILABLE BALANCE AND ESTIMATED CURRENT RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT TAXES 25,282
VII TOTAL CURRENT DISTRICT TAXES REQUIRED 10,158
TOTAL INCOME ALL SOURCES 35,440

A public hearing will be held on the above budget in the Niles School, located at Niles on August 3, at 8 o'clock p.m.
EDGAR E. MULLER
County Superintendent of Schools
Vaughn Seidel
Chief Deputy

PUBLIC (LEGAL) NOTICE

PROPOSED BUDGET
(Exclusive of Bond Money)
For the DECOTO SCHOOL District
of ALAMEDA County
for the school year ending
June 30, 1943

I PROPOSED EXPENDITURE APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1942-43
A Current Expense Appropriations
1. Administration \$ 2,200
2. Instruction 19,785
3. Operation of Plant 2,768
4. Maintenance of School Plant 900
5. Auxiliary Agencies and coordinate Activities, exclusive of transfers to other districts for tuition 100
6. Fixed Charges 610

Total Current Expense Appropriations 26,363
B Capital Outlay Appropriation 700
C Non-Bonded Debt Service Appropriation none
D Undistributed Reserve Appropriation for 1942-43 3,000
E Total Proposed Expenditure Appropriations for the School Year 1942-43 30,063
II APPROPRIATION FOR TRANSFER TO OTHER DISTRICTS FOR TUITION, 1942-43 none
III CURRENT DISTRICT TAXES REQUIRED FOR SPECIAL ACCUMULATIVE BUILDING FUND none
IV GENERAL RESERVE APPROPRIATION FOR EXPENDITURE DURING 1943-44 75
V TOTAL BUDGET REQUIREMENT 30,138
VI NET TOTAL AVAILABLE BALANCE AND ESTIMATED CURRENT RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT DISTRICT TAXES 23,326
VII TOTAL CURRENT DISTRICT TAXES REQUIRED 6,812
TOTAL INCOME ALL SOURCES 30,138

A public hearing will be held on the above budget in the Decoto Elementary School, located at Decoto on August 5, at 8:00 o'clock p.m.
EDGAR E. MULLER
County Superintendent of Schools
Vaughn Seidel
Chief Deputy

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Van Horn Jr. and small son are comfortably situated in the new home they have bought at 3005 Windsor Drive in Alameda, near the High Street bridge, where they will be glad to see their friends from Niles.

The Azucena Girls club gave a dance Saturday night in the Odd Fellows hall at Niles.

Little Diane Waynflete came back from St. Luke's Hospital in San Francisco last Friday, after her twelfth session with the skin surgeon. She will not have to return for more work until about October.

The West of Market Boys club of San Francisco will picnic 3,000 strong this Sunday at Linda Vista Park near Mission San Jose. Supervisor Cliff Wixson is general chairman of the event.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Alberg and daughter Miss Avis gave a farewell dinner Saturday night to Harold Kleinsasser who was inducted into service today, and to prospects to enter nurse's training in Los Angeles the middle of August. Other guests were Dorothy Franklin, Dean Lyons, and Walter Kleinsasser.

The City of Florence Restaurant at Niles will be closed Tuesdays, afternoons and evenings, starting August 1, to give their staff a rest. Their advertisement appears elsewhere in this issue (and in every issue!).

The Niles Fire Department was called out Monday afternoon to extinguish a grass fire on the railroad right-of-way opposite the Hotel Belvoir property. A high wind was fanning the blaze, which was soon extinguished.

Mrs. J. W. Buell corner of 2nd St. had as her house guests over the weekend her mother, Mrs. Charles Moody of Santa Monica and Miss Thelma Daugherty of Knoxville, Tennessee.

Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Wilson and Mrs. Harvey Braun left Niles Wednesday for a two weeks fishing trip in the Garcia River country on the coast. They plan to

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The man who for party forsakes

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PUBLIC (LEGAL) NOTICE

PROPOSED BUDGET
(Exclusive of Bond Money)
For the MISSION SAN JOSE SCHOOL District
for the school year ending
June 30, 1943

I PROPOSED EXPENDITURE APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1942-43
A Current Expense Appropriations
1. Administration \$ 500
2. Instruction 6,330
3. Operation of Plant 1,850
4. Maintenance of School Plant 1,600
5. Auxiliary Agencies and Coordinate Activities, exclusive of transfers to other districts for tuition 620
6. Fixed Charges 172

Total Current Expense Appropriations 10,597

B Capital Outlay Appropriation none
C Non-Bonded Debt Service Appropriation none
D Undistributed Reserve Appropriations for 1942-43 200

E Total Proposed Expenditure Appropriations for the School Year 1942-43 10,797

II APPROPRIATION FOR TRANSFER TO OTHER DISTRICTS FOR TUITION, 1942-43 none
III CURRENT DISTRICT TAXES REQUIRED FOR SPECIAL ACCUMULATIVE BUILDING FUND none
IV GENERAL RESERVE APPROPRIATION FOR EXPENDITURE DURING 1943-44 500

V TOTAL BUDGET REQUIREMENT 10,807

VI NET TOTAL AVAILABLE BALANCE AND ESTIMATED CURRENT RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT TAXES 5,932

VII TOTAL CURRENT DISTRICT TAXES REQUIRED 4,875

TOTAL INCOME ALL SOURCES 10,807

A public hearing will be held on the above budget in the Grammar School Building School, located at Mission on August 3, at 8:00 o'clock p.m.
EDGAR E. MULLER
County Superintendent of Schools
Vaughn Seidel
Chief Deputy

PUBLIC (LEGAL) NOTICE

PROPOSED BUDGET
(Exclusive of Bond Money)
For the DECOTO SCHOOL District
of ALAMEDA County
for the school year ending
June 30, 1943

I PROPOSED EXPENDITURE APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1942-43
A Current Expense Appropriations
1. Administration \$ 2,200
2. Instruction 19,785
3. Operation of Plant 2,768
4. Maintenance of School Plant 900
5. Auxiliary Agencies and coordinate Activities, exclusive of transfers to other districts for tuition 100
6. Fixed Charges 610

Total Current Expense Appropriations 26,363

B Capital Outlay Appropriation 700

C Non-Bonded Debt Service Appropriation none
D Undistributed Reserve Appropriation for 1942-43 3,000

E Total Proposed Expenditure Appropriations for the School Year 1942-43 30,063

II APPROPRIATION FOR TRANSFER TO OTHER DISTRICTS FOR TUITION, 1942-43 none
III CURRENT DISTRICT TAXES REQUIRED FOR SPECIAL ACCUMULATIVE BUILDING FUND none
IV GENERAL RESERVE APPROPRIATION FOR EXPENDITURE DURING 1943-44 75

V TOTAL BUDGET REQUIREMENT 30,138

VI NET TOTAL AVAILABLE BALANCE AND ESTIMATED CURRENT RECEIPTS OTHER THAN CURRENT DISTRICT TAXES 23,326

VII TOTAL CURRENT DISTRICT TAXES REQUIRED 6,812

TOTAL INCOME ALL SOURCES 30,138

A public hearing will be held on the above budget in the Decoto Elementary School, located at Decoto on August 5, at 8:00 o'clock p.m.
EDGAR E. MULLER
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PROPOSED BUDGET
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I PROPOSED EXPENDITURE APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1942-43
A Current Expense Appropriations
1. Administration \$ 500
2. Instruction 6,330
3. Operation of Plant 1,850
4. Maintenance of School Plant 1,600
5. Auxiliary Agencies and Coordinate Activities, exclusive of transfers to other districts for tuition 620
6. Fixed Charges 172

Total Current Expense Appropriations 10,597

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C Non-Bonded Debt Service Appropriation none
D Undistributed Reserve Appropriations for 1942-43 200

E Total Proposed Expenditure Appropriations for the School Year 1942-43 10,797

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V TOTAL BUDGET REQUIREMENT 10,807

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VII TOTAL CURRENT DISTRICT TAXES REQUIRED 4,875

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I PROPOSED EXPENDITURE APP

MARINSHIP NEEDS THOUSANDS OF WORKERS THIS YEAR

Permanent opportunities ...for young men in American shipyards today are the greatest ever known. Neither in the day of the famous Clipper Ships which came round the horn or in the golden age of Steamboating on the Mississippi did such opportunities exist in American shipyards as exists today.

Authority for this statement is W. E. Waste, general manager, W. A. Bechtel Co., Marin Shipbuilding Division. Commenting further on the opportunities for young men in this field, as he studied Marinship's increasing employment needs, Mr. Waste said today: "When the Maritime Commission's ship production program was set in 1940 at 200 ships a year, it taxed to the utmost all existing shipyard facilities in the United States and exhausted the entire supply of trained men. When in 1940 the program was increased to 400 ships a year, it found existing yards filled to overflowing and made necessary the starting of many new yards."

"Great opportunities for training and advancement are offered the young man who enters this industry now. In a very short time, he can acquire the status of a journeyman in some trade and establish himself as a vital part of the war effort."

American shipyards today have a greater active construction capacity than the yards of all the rest of the world combined. The Maritime Commission's construction schedule calls for the production during 1942 and 1943 of 2300 ocean going ships, aggregating 23,000,000 deadweight tons.

West Coast shipyards may possibly hire an additional 100,000 men before the end of the year. The new Marinship yard alone will require 10,000 to 12,000 additional men before the peak.

For further information call E. E. Albertson, EXbrook 6205; or write W. A. Bechtel Co., Marin Shipbuilding Division, Mills Tower, San Francisco.

COAST GUARD NEEDS GOOD COOKS!

Planes and guns and ships are vital in the war effort but expertly cooked food is essential to the armed forces, too.

The United States Coast Guard needs bona fide cooks. There are excellent opportunities for rapid advancement. Petty officer ratings are immediately available for qualified men.

Machinists are also eligible for Petty officer ratings under the new expanded "unlimited ceiling" enlistment program.

For information, call or write Coast Guard recruiting office, 110 Custom House Building, Washington and Battery sts., San Francisco. Office hours have been extended from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.

FOLKS ARE USING THEIR CARS LESS

SACRAMENTO — A continued decrease in the use of motor vehicles throughout California was indicated today with the report that taxable gasoline sales in June amounted to 162,859,893 gallons, a drop of 7.66 percent as compared with the same month of the previous year.

This announcement was made today by Ivan Sperbeck, member of the State Board of Equalization who pointed out that the June gasoline tax amounted to \$4,885,796 as compared with \$5,291,049 for June, 1941.

NEW TREASURER

The officers (yes, we were both there) of the Men's Fellowship club of the Niles Congregational Church met in President E. F. "Ted" Glassbrook's office Monday afternoon in Niles and unanimously elected (wished off) the job of treasurer on the secretary, Walter Waynflete, (Central Bank please note!) to take the place of the efficient ex-treasurer, Jack Parry whose present mailing address is Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana.

CIVIL SERVICE WAIVES RESIDENCE REQUIREMENTS

Due to recruiting problems created by the war conditions, the Oakland Civil Service Board has modified the residential requirements for applicants seeking Civil Service positions, it was announced today by President Harold C. Holmes, Jr. The Board's new ruling removes the four year residence clause for most applicants and requires instead only 30 days residence in Alameda County, but if there is not a sufficient number of applicants residence may be waived entirely.

In most of the professional positions residence is waived entirely, subject however, to approval of the Board. Firemen and Police-men applicants must still have five year residence. This is a Charter regulation over which the Civil Service Board has no control.

This new regulation applies only for the duration of the war or until such time as the Board may change it.

ALAMEDA COUNTY CIVIL SERVICE OFFERS POSITIONS

OAKLAND — The Alameda County Civil Service commission wishes to receive applications for the following county positions:

Stenographer-bookkeeper, salary \$125 per month; file not later than August 17; examination August 21 at 9 a.m.

Public Health Nurse, salary \$135 per month; file on or before August 10; examination date to be announced.

Six other nurses of various grades are needed from \$145 to \$185 per month. File not later than August 10; examinations set later. Full information may be had from Room 205 at the county courthouse.

HOME WINE MAKERS MUST PREPARE & FILE FORM 1541

Every person (other than the operator of a bonded winery) entitled to, and desiring to, produce still wine for the exclusive use of his family must prepare form 1541. Registration for Production of Wine for the family use of the producer thereof not in excess of 200 gallons and not for sale or to be otherwise removed or consumed, in duplicate, file one copy with the District Supervisor and retain the other. The form must be filed at least five (5) days before commencing operations, and must be renewed each succeeding year during which it is desired to produce wine for family use.

The Brownies attending were: Barbara Rinehart, Janice Boulter, Jeanette Orcutt, Gerry Miller, Barbara and Shirley Neighbors, Joan Perreira, Alice Hale, and Mary Rosalia Silva. Guests were Jimmie Boulter, Joseph Silva and Amelia Silva.

The Brownie Troop No. 2 will resume meetings in August under the leadership of their new leader, Mrs. F. H. Duffie of Niles. The troop is sponsored by the Niles P. T. A.

The Coordinating Council of Washington Township is giving a farewell barbecue on Sunday, August 9 to its founder, Principal A. J. Rathbone of Washington Union High School and to the W. T. Lindsays as well at the E. A. Ellsworth home near Niles. Mr. Lindsay also has been active in the Council.

— Drive slower, save gas! —

WOMEN WANTED FOR ENLISTMENT IN NEW W.A.A.C.

SAN FRANCISCO — Enrollment in the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps began Monday July 20 according to Colonel G. T. Perkins, District Recruiting Officer for Northern California.

The W. A. A. C. is a corps of women in military service, under military discipline, organized for noncombatant service with the U. S. Army. Colonel Perkins stated, and will be organized along military lines. The organization of the Corps will proceed slowly and carefully and it will build a solid foundation for future expansion.

For enrollment an applicant must meet the following requirements: Be a Woman citizen of the United States; between her 21st and 45th birthdays; She must have an excellent character; submit satisfactory proof of birth date and citizenship; be physically fit; and furnish two character references from responsible people in her community. To qualify as a specialist, statements of skill from employers are required.

The need for an exceptionally large number of specialists makes possible a splendid opportunity for rapid advancement. As the Corps expands, each member will have an equal opportunity to be selected for Officers' Training School on the basis of all-around performance and ability.

The term of service is for the duration of the war and for not more than six months thereafter. Every member of the Corps will wear uniform with insignia and accessories supplied by the government.

Application can be made at any Army Recruiting Station. Patriotic young women anxious to serve their country in her hour of need should investigate immediately this opportunity. Call at your nearest Recruiting Station and talk it over. Don't Delay! Enroll Today!

Recruiting Stations are located at 444 Market Street in San Francisco; Post Office Building in Oakland and Post office in San Jose.

NILES BROWNIES ENJOY OUTING AT SILVER SPRINGS

Members of Brownies Troop No. 2 of Niles enjoyed an outing recently at Silver Springs in Niles Canyon, with swimming, a wiener roast and picnic lunch, as guests of the Brownies Troop committee. The members of the committee are Mesdames C. B. Crane, L. L. Lewis, M. Perreira, J. L. Boulter, and J. A. Silva, chairman. Mrs. L. A. Orcutt assisted the committee in furnishing transportation and supervision.

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The Feather River Express

Complete New Schedules Effective July 5, 1942

Westbound to SAN FRANCISCO

FEATHER RIVER EXPRESS No. 11
Lv Niles 6:02 pm
Ar San Francisco 7:50 pm

Eastbound to NILES

FEATHER RIVER EXPRESS No. 12
Lv San Francisco 8:00 pm
Ar Niles 9:44 pm

Round Trip Fare in Chair Cars

\$1.20

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WESTERN PACIFIC

THE TOWNSHIP REGISTER, NILES, CALIFORNIA

CLEAN AIR CLEANER

Many a car owner could increase his gas mileage if he would have the air cleaner of his motor serviced, declares the Emergency Roadside Service Department of the National Automobile Club. A dirty cleaner "choke" the carburetor intake, causes poor performance and excessive gas consumption.

DEER HUNTING NOW BANNED IN CERTAIN FORESTS

Deer season will open in nearby game districts on August 1. According to reports from wardens of the State Division of the Fish and Game deer are plentiful and in better condition than for many years previous.

In the Coast Range weather during the winter and spring has been most favorable for Deer. There is an abundance of feed and water, and deer will therefore be well scattered.

The U. S. Forest Service has announced that Los Padres, Angeles, San Bernardino and Cleveland National Forests have been closed to trespass because of the serious fire hazard in these areas. This means that hunters and other trespassers will not be allowed in these forests which extend south from Monterey County.

NEWARK DEPARTMENT HAS NEW FIREMAN

NEWARK — The Newark Fire Department held their regular meeting Monday evening at the Fire Station with Tony Martin presiding. Returns were made on their successful dance given at the Newark Pavilion last Saturday evening.

Louis Perry, a new member replacing George May, was initiated to the department last month, as he was employed at the shipyards and was making plans to make his future home in Oakland near his work.

sulfur from motorists driving into the sides of trains.

"Every locomotive and railroad car is needed today, and equipment laid up for repair as the result of grade crossing accidents represents an unnecessary and irreplaceable loss of time and capacity for doing the nation's transport job in the present emergency."

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LAST OF JAPS ORDERED FROM INLAND CALIF.

Final orders for the evacuation of all Japanese from California areas were posted by the Army Wednesday and require that the exclusion be completed by August 11, Lieut. Gen. J. L. DeWitt, Commanding General, Western Defense Command and Fourth Army announces.

Under three new Civilian Evacuation Orders an estimated total of 6,150 Japanese will be evacuated from designated portions of Fresno and Tulare counties, the only sections of California not previously affected by the Army's program of clearing strategic Pacific Coast areas of Japanese.

All of the affected territory is located within Military No. 2, in which the inland or Eastern sections of California are located. Approximately 3,000 Japanese already have been evacuated from other California portions of Military Area No. 2. The new orders will bring the total from the inland areas under Army control to more than 9,100.

Registration of the Japanese affected by the new orders will be conducted July 27 and 28 at Civil Control Stations in Sanger, Reedley and Visalia. Exact dates for evacuation and the centers to which they will be moved have not yet been announced, but the orders require that the evacuation be completed by noon, August 11.

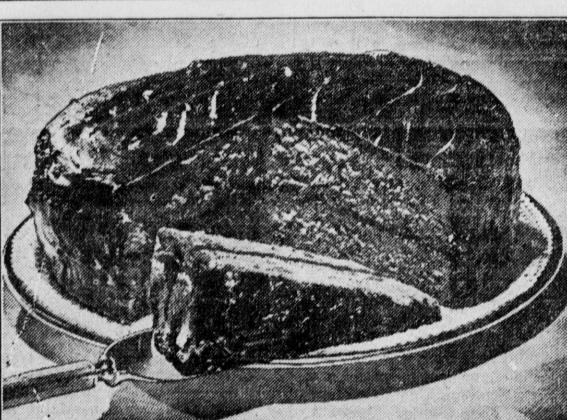
FIREMEN'S DANCE IS SUCCESSFUL

NEWARK — A large crowd of people from Santa Clara and Alameda County were present at the Newark Firemen's dance last Saturday evening at the Newark Pavilion. Music for the dance was provided by Al Davina and his orchestra. The committee headed by Louis Caldeira wishes to thank all those who attended the dance and all those who helped to make this affair a financial success.

The proceeds of this dance will be used to buy emergency supplies for war needs at the fire station and for fire fighting equipment and supplies.

Dr. W. L. McWhirter of Centerville, medical officer of Washington Township Post, American Legion was taken to a hospital Tuesday night of last week suffering from a heart attack.

New Sugarless Recipe For Delicious Chocolate Cake



If you have been worried about how to keep that sweet-toothed family of yours happy, without cutting too severely into your reduced sugar supply, here is the answer to your problem.

A brand new recipe for a perfectly delicious, fluffy chocolate cake and a recipe for a velvety chocolate frosting — both without a single spoonful of sugar.

The sugar will never be missed, because this Victory Cake is as sweet tasting as any cake you ever made. It comes from one of the country's famous test kitchens. Try it today and give your family a real treat.

Fluffy Chocolate Cake (Sugarless)
2 cups sifted flour 6 tbsps. honey
3 tbsps. baking powder 3 eggs
1/2 tsp. salt 1/2 cup vanilla
1/2 cup shortening 1 7-oz. pkg. semi-sweet chocolate, melted
1 cup light corn syrup 1/2 cup milk

"SWAP RIDES" AND HALF DRIVING WITH HALF FULL CARS!

Although the "Swap Ride" program is gaining momentum, the result of statewide surveys made public by the State Highway Traffic Advisory Committee officials shows only about one half of the capacity of the average privately owned passenger car is being utilized in California.

Among shoppers and business men in urban areas the average was found to be only 1.7 persons per car although the average capacity is 5 persons. Around defense areas, where group riding movements have taken hold, the average went up to 4 persons per car.

"California motorists will have to wake up to the seriousness of the rubber shortage," a committee statement said. "Non essential driving must be stopped and there must be a greater participation in the "Swap Ride" movement."

Checks made recently by the committee indicated about half of the motorists of the state are now driving at speeds not exceeding 40 miles an hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Silva and daughter spent Sunday at Santa Cruz.

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